

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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GEAR USED FOR THE SAME
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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE

This Response is filed in response to the Office Action dated August 16, 2007, which provides for a response period ending November 16, 2007.

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